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Thinking Out Loud

By H. M. L.

Under the stress of war many things happen that otherwise could not happen. For instance theres the projected (or present) meeting of Stalin, Churchill and Roosevelt. In the normal course of a peace time economy there could be no meeting among these three, for the reason that each one would consider that such a meeting would irrepairably damage his political reputation. In peace times Stalin would have no truck with capitalistic leaders, nor would Churchill or Roosevelt wish to cooperate with a man of Stalin's antecedents and ideology. It just couldn't happen. But war and its terrific emergency brings them together inevitably.

In normal times (for the democracies war is an abnormal condition) a general that accused a soldier patient in a hospital of malingering, and abused him by slaps and cuffs, would be courtmartialed. It is going to be pretty hard for the American people to forgive General Patton this outrageous breach of all the decencies, civil and military. He will have to prove himself valuable indeed to merit retention of his present rank, not mentioning his proposed promotion. Instability and intemperate action on the part of military leaders induces a deep distrust of their ability to face the numerous crises which they must. Only the stress of war could induce Americans to overlook such a breach of military discipline.

It is more than 80 years since the first Chinese landed in California. They are well known to every adult Californian, their faults and their virtues. The restrictions placed on their immigration to this country were for many years a battle in which California leaders united. Under the stress of war, the ban on Chinese entry in this country is lifted. They will henceforth be treated exactly as other nationals. But the Golden Gate is not swinging open to the hordes of coolies which once threatened to swamp the west coast populations, just as hordes of the least desirable of Southern Europe's population overwhelmed the labor markets in the eastern states. The imperative need of giving China, our ally against Japan. the recognition it so richly deserves, has virtually forced us to revise our conception of the Chinese. We could in all conscience do no less in recognition of Chinese valor and endurance. And mighty few Californians are raising their voices in protest. This is as it should be.

Under the stress of war there has been a mighty revision of American estimates of enemy peoples. We have lost sight to a large degree, of German and Japanese contributions to world culture. There was a time when American women folks were deeply interested, for instance, in Japanese flower arrangements, in old Japanese prints, in exquisite Japanese pottery. There was a time many young men of means and high aspirations considered essential a course in Heidelberg University. Chester Rowell of the San Francisco Chronicle is a graduate of Heidelberg. German science and philosophy, German poetry, and music have always been acclaimed among Anglo Saxons. But these great contributions of culture to the modern world are now in eclipse. We have discovered that along with them rides a deadly eglomania, that at bottom the peoples of Japan and Germany are true primitives. They have not yet emerged from the primordial jungles. What culture they have contributed, apparently was of an accidental or sporadic character. There was a lack of firm foundations in Christian faith, more readily understandable in the case of Japan than in Germany.

Under stress of war we have come reluctantly to recognize that nationalism in Germany and in Japan, is a cult, a religion that moves them to excessive brutalities that we thought had long since vanished. We know now that to lift these people from their degradation is a long time task. These people forgive themselves their debaucheries and plunderings because they truly think themselves members of superior races. This belief is rooted in their psychology. We shall have to make them wards of the United Nations, it may be, for many generations, when this war is done, before this belief is gradually and painfully proved false.

WAR CHESTS OF TWIN CITIES LAG

The War Chest committee of Grass Valley reports that 43.8 per cent remains to be raised of the $12,800 quota. The amount thus far recorded is $7,202.95. There have been 978 contributors, averaging donations of $6.40 each.

The Nevada City committee reports that it has received $3,203.24 toward its quota of $5,100.

It has been decided to continue the drive another week in a dogged effort to meet the assignments in the two communities.

TEACHERS TO CUT SHORT INSTITUTE

Nevada County teachers have succeeded in cutting short the period usually devoted to institute. Instead of a week, two night sessions have been held and the concluding deliberations are set for December 10th, when one day will close the proceedings. This meeting will be held in the Grass Valley High School auditorium, it was announced by Walter Carlson, county superintendent of schools: On that day there will be no classes in the schools throughout the county.

RATIONING BOARD TO MOVE SOON

The Nevada City War Price and Rationing Board No. 89.72 will move into new headquarters in the offices formerly occupied by the post office in the National Hotel Building as soon as new furniture arrives. Since its inception the board has occupied the council room in the city hall.

The new offices will permit much more privacy for persons dealing with the ration board and better working facilities for the staff. The board has formally voted thanks to the city council for the use of quarters in the city hall.

Richard Worth of the National Hotel has had the old postoffice rooms entirely refinished and remodeled for the use of the ration board.

SERVICE MAN THANKS RED CROSS KNITTERS

A letter of appreciation, received from a service man, in acknowledgement of the receipt of a sweater made by one of the workers of the Nevada City Red Cross, has been received by Mrs. May C. Goyne, Secretary of the Nevada City Red Cross Chapter. It follows:

Dear Ladies—

I have just received a sweater made by some one in your Chapter, and was very glad to get it. In showing my appreciation of this gift I am sending you my warmest thanks.

Some of the places we train in are very cold, and this garment will fill a great need. In closing I wish you all, the best of luck and good health.

Sincerely,
Cpl. Jack Edwards, 38337490
A. T. Co. 415 Inf.
A. P. O. 104 U. S. Army
Los Angeles (52)
California

San Juan Ridge Gives War Chest $110

Fred E. Conner, former lumberman of Nevada City, now residing at The Cedars, near North San Juan, has just completed the War Chest drive along San Juan Ridge.

He reports a total collection of $110.05 in North San Juan, Sweetland, French Corral and Birchville.

Two Disastrous Fires Damage Nevada City's Land Marks

This city is today recovering from the shock of two disastrous fires, one of which badly damaged its Trinity Episcopal Church built 78 years ago, and the other, occuring a few hours earlier which destroyed the interior of the largest brick block in the city, the Legg Building, standing on the corner of Union and Main Streets.

The latter building was formerly the Legg and Shaw Hardware store but of late years has been used mainly for storage. The fire was discovered shortly after 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon by Miss Violet Colombo, an employe of Alpha Stores, Limited which sometimes uses the building for storage.

Two city fire trucks and two from the State Forestry Division headquarters under William Sharpe and their crews battled the flames for three hours. This fire was the most spectacular Nevada City has witnessed since that section of the town, now known as the burnt district, went up in flames 21 years ago. In fact the Legg Building was the only structure in that block saved in that earlier fire, and has stood on the edge of the destroyed area since that time, apparently immune to fire.

Fire Chief Garfield Robson believes that the fire had been smoldering for some time prior to discovery, because when it did break through the iron roof a huge column of smoke and flames mounted skyward W.hile there was some used mining machinery and furniture stored in the building, the principal damage was to its internal structure. The thick brick walls still stand, but it is estimated that it will require some $8,000 to reconstruct the interior and the roof.

The fire in Trinity Church started near the furnace room, it was determined, directly under the chancel, though there was no fire in the furnace at the time. The chancel, organ, altar, and furnishings in that part of the church, it is beelieved will have to be rebuilt or replaced. None of the several stained glass memorial windows were damagtd. The fire extended through the sidewalls into the attic, and reconstruction of that part of the church, it is expected will be necessary. It is estimated the damage may run to $2,500. The building, insured, stands at the foot of Aristocracy Hill, High and Nevada Streets.

Church services yesterday morning were conducted by the rector, Rev. Cedric Porter in the vestibule.

XMAS BOXES FOR BOYS IN CAMP BEALE HOSPITAL

Mrs. Carl Foote of Nevada City is in charge of securing 250 filled Christmas boxes for soldiers at the Camp Beale Station Hospital. This number of boxes is Nevada City's Red Cross quota. Mrs. Foote states the boxes have to be filled and dispatched before December 10th, the deadline.

Each article must be wrapped separately. The box must not cost more than fifty cents. Articles that can be sent are, playing cards, pocket games, checkers, nail files, white handkerchiefs, soap, powder, shaving lotion and December and January issues of magazines. In addition if anyone has an extra safety razor sterilized, no blades, it can be included in the box. A list of articles must be printed on the box in the upper right hand corner so as not to give duplicates to patients. All local organizations are asked to share in this Christmas work.

A. M. Holmes Heads Sportsmen's Club

A. M. Holmes, for many years a member of the Grass Valley Sportsmen Club and often chief chef at the annual camp stews of this organization, has been chosen president of the organization. Holmes succeeds Michael Ford, Hills Flat business man.

Other officers chosen were Paul Jenks, vice president; Fred McArthur, treasurer; and Roland Trathen, secretary. New trustees are Joseph Perkins, B. Rowe, Frank Thurston, Abe Tick, George DeSoto, John Bray and Alvon T. Jones. Prior to the election the club enjoyed a big turkey dinner.

Mine Workers Will Hold Election Dec. 2nd

The Mine Workers Protective League will hold its annual election Thursday, December 2nd. At a meeting Thanksgiving night the following were nominated: Charles P. Goudge, for president; John Young, vice president; Ed Jones, secretary; Frank Decutey, treasurer; Richard Bennallack, conductor, and Ed Baldwin, door keeper.

WASHINGTON UKULELE

The Head of the Division of Provision for Revision
Was a man of prompt decision: Morton Quirk,
PRD in Calisthenics, P. D. Q. in Pathoginics
He had just the proper background for his work.

From the pastoral aroma of Aloma, Oklahoma
With a pittance of a salary in hand,
His acceptance had been whetted, even aided and abetted
By emolument that netted some five grand.

So, with energy ecstatic this fanatic left his attic
And hastened on to Washington one day
Where, with verve and vim and vigor he went hunting for the nigger
in the wood pile of the OPA.

After months of patient process Morton's spicular proboscis
Had unearthed a reprehensible hiatus
In reply to Blair and Blair to his thirteenth questionnaire
In connection with their inventory status.

They had written: "Your directive when effective was defective
In its ultimate objective—and what's more
Neolithic hieroglyphic is, to us, much more specific
Than the drivel you keep dumping at our door."

This sacrilege discovered, Morton fainted, but recovered
Sufficiently to write: "We are convinced
That sabotage is camouflaged behind perverted persiflage,
Expect me on the twenty second inst."

But first he sent a checker, then he sent a checker's checker.
Still, nothing was disclosed as being wrong.
So a checker's checker's checker came to check the checker's checker
And the process was laborious and long.

Then followed a procession of the follow-up profession
Through the records of the firm of Blair and Blair
From breakfast until supper some new super-follow-upper
Tore his hair because of Morton's questionnaire.

The file is closed, it is completed, though our hero, undefeated
Carries on in some department, as before.
Now Victory is in side of—not because of—but in spite of
Doctor Morton's mighty efforts in the war.

AMER. MINING CONGRESS WILL MEET IN DENVER

A joint meeting of the Western Division, American Mining Congress, and the Colorado Mining Association will be held in Denver, Colorado, on January 27, 28 and 29, 1944 according to an announcement from Washington and Denver headquarters of the two organizations.

At this meeting, wartime problems of the mining industry will be discussed by mining men of the west. in conference with officials of the war agencies concerned with metal and mineral production and with congressional representatives from the mining states. Current policies of the War Production Board and of other agencies; anticipated requirements for the various minerals; metal prices and quotas; man power supply; machinery and equipment for the mines; problems of gold and silver; stockpiling policies and legislation, and questions of mine taxation will be featured prominently in the sessions.

The needs of western mining essential to its all-out performance in the war program will be fully considered, and there will be special round table meetings to give detailed attention to the present and future status of each of the metals.

The American Mining Congress was originally founded in Denver in 1898 and the last meeting of the Western Division to be held in that city was in 1936. Howard I. Young, president of the congress, is now serving in the War Production Board as director of its minerals bureau and director of the Minerals Resources Coordinating Division.

The Colorado Mining Association, as host to the conference, is merging its traditional meeting with that of the mining congress. Mining men from all parts of the west and in fact throughout the nation will thus have an opportunity to enjoy the well known hospitality of Colorado, and to attend the famous "Sowbelly Dinner" which will be the culminating event of the meeting.

CIVILIAN SKILLS NEEDED AT CAMP BEALE

CAMP BEALE, Nov. 15.—Civilian personnel director Lt. Ralph Rovner, of Camp Beale, issued an urgent request this week for skilled laborers to be employed under civil service status on this post.

His office is seeking employees who will be given full retirement rights, permanent employment and advancement depending on capability and industry.

Housing quarters are available on the post for single men or women, with rent of $15 per month for a single room or $10 per menth for a double room.

Especially sought are sign painters, who will be started at 96 cents per hour; oil burnermen at 99 cents per hour; plumbers at 99 cents per hour; engineering equipment operators (blades, graders, cats, and heavy equipment), $1.02 per hour; steam fitters, $1.07 per hour; and furnace repairmen 97c per hour. Other skills also are desired.

All jobs are for six days a week, eight hours per day, with time and a half for all work over 40 hours per week. Twenty six days per year are allowed as vacation with pay, plus 15 days sick leave.

Lt. Rovner also is in need of a mechanical engineer, who will be given a P-3 status, paying $3200 per annum plus authorized overtime.

Women will be hired for any of the jobs if they can qualify, Lt. Rovner said.

Application may be made by letter to the chief of civilian personnel, Camp Beale. Office hours are 8 to 4:30 daily.

DRUNKEN DRIVER SERVING TIME

Mrs. Alma Lee Deward of Grass Valley, who pleaded guilty before City Judge Miles Coughlin to driving while intoxicated and was sentenced to pay a fine of $150 or to spend 75 days in jail, has begun serving her time in the county prison.

THREE STATES SEND MOST MEN TO WHITE HOUSE

By CLEM WHITAKER

Glenn D. Willaman of Los Angeles who digs in to the political tombs of the past in search of portents of the future, has just come up with some pertinent and possibly significant data for those who are interested in the influence of geography on presidential elections.

In the 26 presidential elections held in the United States during the 100 year span from 1840 through 1940, reports Mr. Willaman, 17 of the winners came from three states—Ohio, New York and Illinois.

Ohio, champion of the presidential big league, has produced 7 winners in the White House World Series during the past century; New York 6; Illinois 4; New Jersey 2. California, Massachusetts, Indiana, New Hampshire, Louisiana, Pennsylvania and Tennessee have each produced one.

Mr. Willaman, whose business is managing the California Real Estate Aassociation, but whose avocation is political history—past and current—has become something of an amateur authority on political batting averages and inclines to the theory that the presidential Babe Ruth or Joe di Magio of 1944 will most likely come from one of the three big league states.

With Roosevelt, Willkie and Dewey all claiming New York as their home state, and with Governor Bricker of Ohio figuring as another presidential possibility, the odds appear fairly strong that Willaman's prophecy will prove correct. It might be pointed out, however, that California has only been admitted to the big league tier of states for a few years and may be expected to play an increasingly important part in the making of presidents during the years ahead.

Just for the record, here are the winners in each of the presidential elections for the past hundred years, with the home state, political party and year of election of each:

1840—Harrison, Whig, Ohio; 1844—Polg, Dem., Tenn; 1848—Taylor, Whig, Louisiana; 1852 — Pierce, Dec., New Hampshire; 1856—Buchanan, Dem., Penn.; 1860—Lincoln Union, Ill.; 1868—Grant, Rep. Ill.; 1872—Grant, Rep., Ill.; 1876—Hayes, Rep., Ohio; 1880—Garfield, Rep., Ohio; 1884—Cleveland, Dem., New York; 1888—Harrison, Rep., Indiana; 1892 — Cleveland, Dem., New York; 1896—McKinley, Rep., Ohio.

1900—McKinley, Rep., Ohio; 1904—Theodore Roosevelt, Rep., N ew York; 1908—Taft, Rep., Ohio; 1912—Wilson, Dem., New Jersey; 1916—Wilson, Dem., New Jersey; 1920—Harding, Rep., Ohio; 1924—Coolidge Rep., Mass.; 1928—Hoover, Rep., California; 1932—F. D. Roosevelt, Dem., New York; 1936—Roosevelt, Dem., N. Y.; 1940—Roosevelt, Dem. N. Y.

Camptonville High School Wins Honor

The Camptonville Branch High School of which Mrs. Veva K. Meggers is principal received honorable mention in the coast to coast paper drive contest sponsored by the "Truth and Consequence" program which is broadcast over KPO. The program sponsors offered a broadcast to the school which would gather the most paper per capita between Nov. 15 and 22. Last night it was announced that the Camptonville school had received honorable mention with five other schools. The winner was an elementary school in Lynn Co., Mo. The Missouri school salvaged 240,000 pounds which was an average of 11 tons per pupil.

The Camptonville school salvaged 24,686 pounds which was over two tons per pupil. There are six pupils in the Camptonville school. The Camptonville school got the highest score in California.

Now the Camptonville pupils will tie the paper into twelve pound bundles and sell it. The proceeds will be used for their activities in war work, such as the Red Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Tamblyn held a most enjoyable family reunion Thanksgiving day. Their daughter and husband(Mr. and Mrs. John Spooner of Stockton, came up for the occasion.

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CONSTRUCTIVE POLICY

The tide of resentment against the New Deal is still running strong, as evidenced by Republican successes in the recently held special elections, and bids fair to sweep the present administration from power in the next national contest.

In the fact of such a probability, the accomplishments of the GOP Macinac Island conference, held last September, givt a line on the type of government the Republicans will offer the people.

Two important resolutions were adopted at that historic meeting. One, a broad statement of policy on foreign affairs which commits this nation to collaboration with other nations without sacrificing our sovereignty. The other a comprehensive domestic resolution which in our opinion has not been sufficiently analyzed.

Under its terms the Republican Party would further the following domestic program:

1 Restoration of States Rights.

2 Economy in government and an end to bueaucratic regulation and decree.

3 Equality of opportunity for all Americans regardless of race, color or creed, in the economic, educational, political and military life of the nation.

4 Increased production and improved distribution of food, under the direction of a single agency.

5 Fair prices for agricultural production in the postwar period; encouragement of crop production and the use of agricultural products in industry.

6 Maximum freedom of operation by the American farmer.

7 The right of the American workingman to bargain collectively through agents of his own free choice.

8 Fullest provisions for the rehabilitation and employment of men and women of the armed forces. Temporary help to be granted where necessary.

9 Preservation to our people of all freedoms, based on individual liberty, the independence of state and local government, and the independence of congress and the courts.

COMING UP

Conversion of alternating electrical current at extremely high voltages to direct current, which can then be transmitted as far as 3,000 miles—with very low energy loss—before it is reconverted into stepped-down alternating current for local distribution, is expected to usher in a new development in power transmission which will revolutionize industry all over the earth, reports Dr. Hilton Ira Jones, writing in the December issue of the Rotarian magazine.

"With such a system in operation, coal and fuel oil need no longer be transported, and cities of the eastern United States, for example, can be lighted, their homes heated, and their factories run by the energy of waterfalls, refineries, and mines in the west," says Dr. Jones, who is president of the Chicago chapter of the American Institute of Chemists. "This system has already been worked out and is in operation in the General Electric laboratories, but on a grand scale it is still a dream on the trestle board of science—a dream, however, that will certainly be fulfilled, and its coming will revolutionize life on our planet."

Basis of the new development are two "glorified radio tubes"—the Kenetron, which would transmit, as direct current, electricity which it had converted from alternationg current after the original product of the generators had been stepped up from less than 25,000 volts to as much as 500,000 volts; and the Thyratron, whose grids would then transform the current to an alternating basis on the receiving end, whence it could be lowered in voltage and distributed for local transmission and use.

GOOD NEIGHBOR MEXICO

In the most practical way possible, Mexico has shown herself to be a good neighbor to the United States. Her resources and manpower have been made available to his country, not only for service in Mexico against the common enemy, but for service here.

California in particular, has benefited much from Mexico's good neighbor policy. It has been due in part at least to the agricultural workers supplied by Mexico that California farmers have been able to contribute so much food to allied victory.

All told 30,000 Mexican workers made the trek to California last season to help harvest the crops. And remembering the mistakes of the previous year, these workers were trained agricultural hands, able to work efficiently and to good purpose. Virtually all of them now have been repatriated to their homes below the border, carrying with them not only their savings but new ideas of sanitation and health.

Next year, it is estimated that California's farmers will require 40,000 Mexican workers to assist with the crops. Fortunately, plans are being made in advance to insure increased efficiency in recruiting and distributing the labor. Equally important, reports from the south indicate that most of the Mexican workers went back to their native country as individual ambassadors of good will because of the fair treatment given them by California farmers. That augurs well for the future, and must prove more valuable to both countries in the long run than the whole caravans of ingratiating visitors weaving across tse borders bent on "good will" missions.

PRICE CEILING DO NOT AFFECT FOOD SHORTAGE

By RALPH H. TAYLOR

There is one fundamental flaw in the whole government program of food rationing, price subsidies and price fall-backs which has been apparent to producers from the start, and which is now becoming clearly evident to consumers, but which apparently isn't yet recognized by either the Roosevelt administration or congress.

The basic weakness in the government program is that the government is doing little or nothing to prevent a food shortage—but is simply trying to administer shortage!

By artificially rolling back food prices, the administration apparently believes that it can placate labor—and labor's wife—and guard against losing their votes when election day rolls around next year. But that policy is just as unsound politically as it is economically, for one of the consequences of this short-sighted program is that housewives just can't buy the foods they want at any price. And when they can't buy what they need, the fact that the price would be lower if they could buy it isn't very nourishing or satisfying.

The fundamental flaw is that the government failed to heed repeated warnings of farmers that they could not stay in business if their labor was drained away and their costs were permitted to go beyond their capacity to pay. For nearly two years, all responsible farm organizations, farm leaders and farm publications have warned that price ceilings would be meaningless, if there was nothing to clamp the ceiling on—and that dangerous shortages were inevitable unless something was done to stimulate production, instead of stifling it.

At first, the government minimized the danger of a food shortage. Then, recognizing its mistake, it began to prophesy shortages. But it did nothing, at least until it was too late, to prevent the drafting of essential farm workers; it did nothing to prevent war plants from paying double or treble what farmers could pay to get workers. In short, it did nothing to prevent shortages! And unfortunately, it is still doing virtually nothing to cope with this fundamental problem.

The absurdity of the whole topsy-turvy business is illustrated by what has happened to the butter you used to put on your bread. When rationing started, butter was listed at 8 points. Butter production fell off, so its ration value was raised to 12 points. Butter production fell off some more so a month or two ago housewives were notified that a pound of butter would take 16 points—the total allotment of an individual for a week for meat, butter and cooking fats combined! And now butter has become so scarce that most restaurants and hotels don't serve it—and tens of thousands of California homes are forced to use butter substitutes.

The tragedy of that crazy cycle is that it need not have been. Dairymen told the government as long as 18 months ago that they couldn't stay in business and keep up production unless something was done to halt their run-away costs and run-away dairy hands. But nothing was done, and no matter how many points the government may set as the ration value of butter it can't increase production thereby one single pound.

What has happened to butter happened earlier to meat and is now happening to milk—three of the essentials of American diet! And the consumer is wondering what will be next?

This isn't just a fault finding article. It is constructive criticism, written in the hope that our food administration in Washington, or our congressmen, or somebody in authority, will stop trying to ration scarcity—and start trying to encourage adequate production to win the war and feed America.

Will Buffington who has been at Happy Camp two years, was home for Thanksgiving day with his wife and son. He will remain here. Mrs. Rice of Red Bluff mother in law of Buffington is also a visitor at the Buffington home.

Farm WAR NEWS

NO SLAUGHTER PERMIT REQUIRED FOR FARM-KILLED HOGS

For a 90 day period after the effective date, November 17, any farmer may, without license or permit, slaughter on his farm, swine owned by him and deliver the meat derived therefrom, under amendments to FDO 75.

This revision is designed to relieve the pressure caused by liquidation of the nation"s record supply of pork, since commercial facilities are inadequate by reason of labor shortage and other factors, to handle the expanded kill.

The revised order, of course, has no effect on the ration systems and all meat delivered must have ration points collected on it at the rates currently in effect. OPA has reduced pork point but farmers are still required to observe price ceiling on pork and pork products.

In making the above announcement, War Food Administrator, Mervin Jones, said, "there is no reason why any farmer should sell for less than the support price, since the government will continue to purchase hog products on that basis. These products will be purchased for Army, Navy, and other governmental uses. If farmers will cooperate in orderly marketing and not cause the market to become congested the price can and will be maintained."

ORDER CLOSING GOLD MINES, SAYS ENGLE, FAILURE

WASHINGTON, D. C. Nov. 29.—A bill to rescind the highly controversial War Production Board order (L-208) closing gold mines has been introduced by Congressman C. Engle of the California second congressional district.

In introducing the bill, Engle declared: "The WPB order shutting down gold mines has proved a failure on the basis of diverting manpower to other industries, and has been disastrous to mine operators and miners of whom there are many in the second district.

"The contemplated rush to other types of mines or other industries did not materialize because gold miners, who have devoted their lives to their highly specialized work, are not adapted to other industries.

Meanwhile, many operators are being forced to give up their mines because of lack of income. Others, with larger capital reserves, are forced to spend hundreds of thousands of dollars to guard against deterioration of their mines. They cannot keep this up indefinitely with out going bankrupt.'

Engle, a charter member of the Western Mining Council, emphasized that his bill if enacted, will, in addition to restoring one of the most important industries of California, have an important effect on post-war employment.

"If the gold mines are opened now", he said, "there will be less delay and confusion in reemployment when miners return after the war to their former communities. If the mines are already prepared to absorb these men, there will be less chance of needing a government relief program."

The congressman pointed out that Canada is mining gold in ever increasing quantities, and that mining machinery reportedly is being sent to South America and South Africa to boost the intensified gold production in many areas.

"In all fairness and for the protection of our own industry, I concur with the views of many others—the gold mining ban should be lifted at once," Engle concluded.

Engle's bill reads as follows:

To rescind Limitation Order L-208 of the War Production Board, relating to the operation and maintenance of gold mines, and for other purposes,

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Represetnatives of the United States of America in congress assembled, that Limitation Order L-208 of the War Production Board, issued August 31, 1943 (which imposes restrictions on the operation and maintenance of gold mines, and any other order, rule, or regulation issued by any department, agency, or officer of the government which imposes restrictions similar to those imposed by such Limitation Order L-208, are hereby rescinded; and neither title III of the Second War Powers Act, 1942, nor any other provision of law shall be held to authorize any department, agency, or officer of the government to issue any order, rule, or regulation imposing restrictions on the operation and maintenance of gold mines similar to the restrictions imposed by such Limitation Order L-208.

tightest of this year's problems. The sticker is tires, which seems to be the main problem is more new trucks were available.

DAIRYMEN LIKE SUBSIDY PROGRAM

Dairy producers throughout the nation are expressing approval and appreciation of the Dairy Feed Program and are being pleasantly surprised by the speed with which the payments are being made. Such comments as "I never expected to walk into AAA offices and get by payment five minutes after presenting my evidence" are general. County AAA offices are making these payments to producers just as rapidly as possible. Chief bottleneck is delay on the part of producers in presenting evidence of sales at the County AAA Office.

U. S. HEAVY ON OILS AND FATS

The United States will produce more than 90 per cent of its fats and oils requirements for the next 12 months, compared with 82 per cent of a smaller peacetime volume. All requirements for military, lend-lease, and essential civilian needs for the year beginning October 1, 1943, are estimated at 11.7 billion pounds more than 1 1-2 billion pounds in excess of peacetime normal. Sixty nine per cent of the allocable supply will be used for food, and the balance for industrial uses. United States civilians will get approximately 70 per cent of the fats allocated for food, while the military services will get 9 per cent. The remaining 21 per cent has been allocated to exports, including lend-lease, commercial exports, and requirement for feeding liberated countries.

BITS AND PIECES

Operations of tank trucks are not included in the recent action of ODT prohibiting truck operators from inaugurating new operation or extending present ones. Achievement of the 1944 acreage goals will require the planting of 374 million acres to principal crops. The estimated acreage for miscellaneous crops for which goals have not been determined, will bring the total acreage to 380 million acres.

More than 54,000 communities in the United States, not on railroads, depend exclusively on highway transportation.

Golden trout are native to only one small stream in the Southern Sierra Nevada, near Mt. Whitney, although they have been planted extensively elsewhere.

San Francisco contributes more toward retirement pensions for its firemen than any other large city in the country.

Blue diamonds weighing from one to three carats were found in Nevada in 1892 but the deposit was subsequently covered by shifting sands and has never been rediscovered.

The WACs have lowered their height and weight requirements to recruit an all-Chinese unit in San Francisco.

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HERE IS WHAT FARMERS SHOULD KNOW ABOUT TAXES

This is the third of a series of articles by Collector of Internal Revenue Harold A. Berliner of San Francisco on the preparation of and filing of Federal Income Tax Returns.

HOW TO PREPARE AND FILE ESTIMATED DECLARATIONS

Q What procedure must the farmer follow in preparing his Estimated Declaration to file with the Internal Revenue by December 15, 1943?

A Work sheets to be used in determining the estimated amount of tax are provided by the Bureau of Internal Revenue.

Q Where may the farmer or other persons required to file Estimated Declaration obtain these forms?

A At the nearest Internal Revenue office. (The Internal Revenue Office here is located in the Post Office Building, Grass Valley, California), or write to the main office at 100 McAllister Street, in San Francisco.

Q What form does the farmer use in filing his Estimated Declaration?

A Form 1040ES, called the "Declaration of Estimated Income and Victory Tax by Individuals."

Q How is form 1040ES filled out?

A Before the individual is able to fill out this form, he must first determine the amount of his or her Victory and Income Tax for 1943.

Q When this amount has been determined, what is the next step?

A See which year, either 1942 or 1943 had the greater tax liability.

Q Why is this important?

A Because 75% of one year's income tax, either 1942 or 1943 which ever year had the lesser liability is forgiven. Consequently the year that had the higher income liability must be paid in full.

Q How is this shown on the 1040ES, the Estimated Declaration to be filed by December 15th.?

A Using the higher tax liability, either 1942 or 1943, set the total figure down on line One of the Estimated Declaration. If the 1942 Income Tax was higher, set this down and speciify by writing in "1942 tax."

Q Farmers are not subject to withholding provisions. What credits may be taken against this tax?

A All payments made on 1942 Income Tax Liability. Enter the amounts of these payments on line 4 of the declaration. Subtract the sum of the payments made on the 1942 Income Tax. The remainder must be paid on filing this return by December 15th.

Q When must the balance of the Income Tax be paid on the year in which 75% was forgiven?

A The remaining unforgiven 25 per cent may be paid in two installments. At least one half must be paid by March 15, 1944. The balance by March 15, 1945. On election the taxpayer may pay the full amount of the unforgiven tax by March 15, 1944.

Q Where do these returns have to be filed?

A They may be filed at the nearest Internal Revenue Zone Office, or mailed directly to the Collector's Office at 100 McAllister Street, San Francisco.

Q Do the Estimated Declaration of Income Tax to be filed by December 15th have to be witnessed by a Notary Public?

A No.

Q May married couples file separate returns?

A Yes.

Q If a joint return is filed by December 15, 1943, does it bind the parties to file a joint return March 15, 1944?

A No—Married couples whose income is derived from community property have the election of filing either joint or separate returns up to to the last day of the final filing period. In this case, March 15, 1944.

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FINGERS CUT ON SAW

Mrs. Will Davis suffered three badly chewed fiugers on her left hand Sunday when they were caught on the cogs of a power saw. She stepped up to place a pine limb in front of the spinning cogged wheel, and as she tossed the cut pieces her hand came in contact with the saw. Her husband brought her to the Nevada City Sanitarium where Dr. H. N. March dressed the three middle fingers. While the injury is quite painful she will luckily save the use of the hand.

THANKSGIVING REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Myers enjoyed their family reunion and Thanksgiving dinner Saturday evening, in order to have all members present. Present for the event were their daughter, Mrs. D. Pederson and husband of Napa, and their daughter, Miss Betty Pederson; son, Lawrence Myers of Burlingame and three daughters, Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. Grace Morrison and son. It is the first reunion in eleven years.

THANKSGIVING REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Smith celebrated Thanksgiving Day with a reunion of family members. Present were Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Archibald, and daughter, Miss Jean Rrchibald, of Grass Valley. Mr. and Mrs. Warren Smith of the bay district, Leland Smith and host and hostess. Their daughter, Miss Betty Smith who is in Los Angeles, was not able to be present. The dinier was also sort of a farewell to the twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Leland and Warren who leave for service today.

EARL WING ACQUITTED

The jury having heard evidence in the trial of Earl Wing, charged with contributing to the delinquency of 16 year old Mrs. Everett Newman, wife of a sailor in the U. S. Navy, yesterday afternoon returned a verdict of not guilty.

Wing, 33, an electrician was arrested in July. He deposited $1,000 cash bail. His attorneys, James Snell of Grass Valley and Ray Manwell in presenting their arguments to the jury, stressed the fact Mrs. Newman, at the time of the alleged intimacy was about to become a mother. The infant is now a month old and is being cared for in the home of his father's parents in Chicago Park.

OLD FIRE TRUCK STREAMLINED

One of the city's fire trucks has been improced by installing a new high power pump. The work was done by the Van Palt Fire Apparatus Company in Oakdale, California. The new pump, described as a model V-350, will throw a stream of 350 gallons a minute. It is especially valuable in extinguishing small fires from its own 450 gallon tank before hose and hydrant couplings can be made.

BORN

CORNISH—In Nevada City, Nevada County, November 19, 1943, to Mr. and Mrs. James R. Cornish of Albany, California, a daughter.

PENROSE—In Nevada City, Nevada County, November 22, 1943, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Penrose, of Grass Valley, a son.

WILLOUGHBY—In Nevada City, Nevada County, November 22, 1943, to Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Willoughby, a daughter.

Cork Oaks, Beautiful And Also Useful

State Fire Warden William F. Sharpe of the State Division of Forestry states that he has received a consignment of 300 young cork oak trees for residents of the county who will plant and care for them.

Approximately 1,200 trees were distributed among Nevada County residents last year. He says that cock oaks, aside from becoming a source of income, are beautiful trees with rounded heads affording dense shade.

New County AAA Committee Chosen

A. L. Saladana, secreary of the Nevada County AAA announces that farmer committeemen chosen to take charge of the AAA and related programs in the county in 1944 are L. E. Sleeman, chairman; Joel Bierwagon, vice chairman; Edward Blum, mem; Malcolm Hammill, first alternate.... and Thomas Leutenecker, second alternate.

JACK OGLESBY PASSES

Word has been received that Jack Oglesby, brother in law of the late W. B. Celio, passed away in Los Angeles last Sunday. He is survived by his wife, a nephew, Gove C. Celio, of this city. Mrs. Oglesby and her late brother, W. B. Celio are from Amador county. Mr. and Mrs. Oglesby visited in Nevada City on many occasions.

Camp Beale To Loan Fire Equipment In Emergency

The Grass Valley City Council has authorized William Cassettari, city attorney, to enter into an agreement with appropriate authorities of Camp Beale for mutual assistance in event of fires in either place that threaten to get out of bounds. Under arrangement, which Camp Beale has been making with neighboring communities, fire equipment will be pooled in major fires in the area.

EUROPE'S CATTLE EAT SAWDUST, PINE NEEDLES

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 29—Feed for livestock has become so scarce in Germany and Nazi-occupied countries, as well as neutral Switzerland and Sweden, that cattle and sheep are being fed pine needles and wood cellulose, according to report of the U. S. Forest Service based on foreign abstracts of agricultural conditions in Europe. Pine needles, it is said, contain protein, vitamins and mineral salts, and when fed in combination with fodder-cellulose will keep the cattle healthy. In Sweden and Norway the manufacture of eattle feed from wood has become a thriving war industry, with production exceeding 500,000 tons for the year 1942-43.

To meet this critical feed problem livestock owners in war-ridden and neutral countries are being urged to increase the production of their pastures and hay fields by more intensive cultivation and fertilization, and to raise catch crops for fodder and oil-seed plants to supply needed proteins. Experiments to increase the nutritive value and digestibility of straw and crop-refuse are also reported.

The artificial drying of grass by electricity, instead of by the usual hay curing methods, is said to be in general practice in many countries. Switzerland reports plans to increase electricity output sufficient to provide for an annual production of 140,000 tons of such dried fodder. Grass for artificial drying is cut at an earlier stage of growth than when it is to be cured as hay. Consequently proteins and other nutritive values are higher, and the product is considered the cheapest and most suitable substitute for oil-cake in livestock food.

Night Burning Of Refuse Not Permitted

W. W. Hopkins, civilian protection officer of Region No. 4, has written Sheriff Carl J. Tobiassen that night burning of refuse and slash cannot be permitted unless the fire can be readily extinquished in case an air raid alert. He states that farmers should be advised to do their burning in the day time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Murchie have purchased the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Burr on upper Broad street. They plan to move into the newly purchased home in another month. Mr. and Mrs. Murchie have resided in the Hamilton Eddy house thirty years and are happy to own their own home.

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CATTLEMEN TO MEET IN S. F.

A call for California cattlemen to gather in San Francisco December 8 and 9, for their annual convention has been issued by Loren C. Bamert of Ione, president of the California Cattlemen's Association.

"At this time,' said Bamert, in announcing the convention, which will be held at the Bellevue Hotel, "cattlemen foresee a situation where meat supplies will grow less and less as we get into 1944 and yet we can do nothing about it.

"We are not kicking about prices of cattle but we frankly criticize government regulations which promote a surplus of cattle and create a shortage of feeds and meat in the face of wartime needs.

"Our industry would like to get into the war against the Nazis and Japs instead of spending valuable time arguing with our own government officials who seem more concerned with distributing shortages than securing production of increased supplies.

"We hope that, by meeting and taking concerted action, some good can be accomplished. It is perfectly evident as we look at the war production picture that those industries which have the least governmental regulating are the ones that are doing the best job."

Other major problems facing cattlemen which will come up for consideration at the convention include the recent order imposing price ceilings on live cattle the feed situation, livestock transportation and manpower.

MARINES MAKE MANY USES OF EQUIPMENT

By Stf. Sgt. Milburn McCarthy, Jr.

SOMEWHERE IN THE SOUTH PACIFIC, (Delayed) The inventors of America's modern military equipment would indeed be surprised if they could see the various uses to which their inventions are being put in the field.

These inventors were more practical fellows than they may have realized. Following is this correspondent's own special glossary of field equipment, compiled after a year's survey among Marines in the South Pacific.

Steel helmet—A wash basin. Also used as a movie seat or as implement to scoop out foxholes.

Bayonet—A combination can-opener, axe and scythe. Very useful for clearing camp areas. Comes in handy as an icepick, if ice is available.

Belt buckle—Bottle opener. Works best on beer or Coco Cola bottles. User is warned to wrap handkerchief around hand during operation to prevent bruising.

Gas mask—Streamlined version of the "motoring duster" widely used in pre-World War I days. Necessary equipment for all jeep rides on the dusty roads.

Packs, knapsacks—Pillows. Not up to Simmons' standards, but definitely superior to bamboo headrests tried by Marines elsewhere.

"Scivvies" (underwear'—Unexcelled for rifle cleaning. Headkerchiefs and shirt tails are used occasionally, but these do not have the oil spreading qualities of new white "civvies."

Poncho (Marine raincoat) — An extension to the windward side of any tent. Also used as a rifle's rain coat, mattress, sheet and awning.

When World War I was declared in April 1917, the United States had two aviation fields and 55 serviceable airplanes, of which 51 were obsolete and the other four obsolescent.

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St. Agnes Guild of the Episcopal church is preparing to fill 50 of the Christmas boxes. Several lodges and local organizations are donating boxes. Citizens are urged to assist in getting the boxes filled as quickly as possible.

NOTICE FOR PAYMENT OF COUNTY TAXES

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property and one half of the taxes on all real property for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1943, and ending June 30, 1944, will be due on the first day of November, 1943 and will be delinquent on the 5th of December, 1943, at 5 o'clock p. m. and unless paid prior thereto six per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and if said one half be not paid before the 20th day of April, 1944, at 5 o'clock p. m. an additional three per cent will be added thereto. The remaining one half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the first day of January 1944, and will be delinquent on the 20th day of April, 1944, at 5 o'clock p. m. and unless paid prior thereto three per cent will be added to the amount thereof together with a further charge of 50c for each lot, piece or parcel of land separately assessed and for each assessment of personal property.

Al ltaxes may be paid at the time the first installment as herein provided is due and payable.

Taxes are payable at the Treasurer's office, Nevada County Courthouse, Nevada City, California.

ELMA HECKER,
Ex Officio Tax Collector and County Treasurer, Nevada City, California.

No. 4350
NOTICE TO CREDITORS IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEVADA.

In the Matter of the Estate of GEORGE ARTHUR NIHELL, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Gladys Driver, as Administratrix With the Will Annexed of the state of George Arthur Nihell, deceased, to the Creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers within six (6) months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within six (6) months after the first publication of this notice to the said administratrix at the law offices of Lynne Kelly, 127 Mill Street, Grass Valley, Nevada County, California, the same being her place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said George Arthur Nihell, Deceased.

Dated November 6, 1943.

GLADYS DRIVER,
Administratrix With the Will Annexed of the estate of George Arthur Nihell, Deceased.
LYNNE KELLY, Attorney for Administratrix, etc.
First Publication November 8, 1943.
Nov. 8, 15, 22, 29, Dec. 6.

No. 4820
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEVADA.

In the Matter of the Dissolution of FOUNAIN HEAD GRAVEL MINING CORPORATION, a corporation.
NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE FOR HEARING PETITION FOR APPOINMENT OF TRUSTEE.

The petition of Fernande Mulle and Frank Wright for the appointment of a Trustee to proceed with the winding up of the affairs of Fountain Head Gravel Mining Company, a dissolved corporation, having been filed pursuant to Section 403-B of the California Civil Code and the Court by its order, having fixed the time and place for the hearing of said petition and having prescribed the notice to be given thereon,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Friday, the 17th day of December, 1943, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day has been appointed as the time and the Court House of the said above entitled Court at Nevada City, Nevada County, California, has been appointed as the place at which said petition is to be heard at which time and place any person interested therein may appear and show cause if any he has why said petition should not be granted.

Dated: November 17th, 1943.

R. N. McCORMACK,
Clerk of the above entitled Court.
Nov. 22, 29, Dec. 6, 13.

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Tom Legg—

Mr. and Mrs. George Legg of this city have received a telegram from New York, stating he was safe and well.

Albert Miller—

When Albert Miller joined the armed forces recently he was musician, formerly musical director in the Nevada City High School, On induction he was placed in the U. S. Army Engineers. Quite recently he was transferred to Air Corps and is now an aviation cadet.

Jean S. Ryder—

Promoted to the rate of yeoman third class in recent graduation ceremonies held at the Naval Training School (yeoman) on the campus of Iowa State Teachers College, Cedar Falls, Ia. Woman Reservist Jean G. Ryder, 106 Prospect, Nevada City, is ready now to "release a male yeoman" for sea duty.

Recruit training aptitude tests and past civilian experience were the basis for her selection to the specialty school. The completed course of study included shorthand, typing, Naval correspondence, records and forms and current events.

Elwood Farnsworth, pharmicist mate, first class, now stationed at the submarine base at Mare Island, spent the past week end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Farnsworth of this city. He was accompanied by Miss Frances Anderson, of Grass Valley who is employed at Vallejo. Her parents own the old Starr home on Osborne Hill, Grass Valley. Also in the party was George Hoyle, store keeper third class of the submarine base, Mare Island. Farnsworth saw service with the U. S. Navy in the South Pacific Islands, returning to the United States two months ago.

Roland Garwood—

Roland Garwood, who is stationed at Monterey U. S. Army camp, returned to his duties today after a week's furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Garwood.

Jim Kistle—

Jim Kistle, who enlisted in the merchant marine several months ago, is now in North Africa with U. S. forces.

Ernest Kistle—

Ernest Kistle, brother of Jim Kistle, is in the U. S. Army at Monterey. His wife is at Acampo while he is in service.

Bob Roy Kistle—

Bob Roy Kistle, another brother of Jim Kistle, is a tail gunner in air division the U. S. Marines. He is in training at Camp Miramar, Santa Barbara County.

Leland Smith, Warren Smith, Twins

Leland Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Smith of Clay street, leaves Tuesday from Sacramento to enter selective training in the N. S. Navy at Norfolk, Virginia. Warren Smith, twin brother of Leland, left today for Oakland and will enter training in U. S. Army. He will go to Monterey and hopes to get into the mountain troops division taking up skiing and other mountain training in which he has always been deeply interested. Mr. and Mrs. Leland Smith, parents of the 18 year old boys, and Mrs. Barbara Smith, wife of Warren Smith, will motor to Sacramento and the bay region to see the young men off to service.

Elzear Foley—

Mrs. Emma Foley of this city received a letter a few days ago from her son, Elzear Foley, in the South Pacific islands. He writes most interesting letters saying he can't tell the choice information but describes their work each day and how each hour is filled with work. He has now been over there over six months and says it seems seven years. His wife lives in Alhambra, Southern California and is employed.

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Personal

Dr. and Mrs. Hal Draper and son spent Thanksgiving Day in Roseville with their daughter and family. Dr. Draper returned to his duties at Chico State College yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Syms left Saturday for Miami, Arizona, where he will examine copper mines for the RFC federal agency. Syms is with the Metals Reserve commission and has just returned here from evamining a property at Gazelle, Northern California.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed C. Jacobs came up from Southern California for a Thanksgiving celebration in their home at Nevada City's southern city limits. Jacobs is a mining engineer and has operated properties in this section.

Deputy County Clerk Ralph Deeble spent the past week end in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas of Silva Avenue spent Thanksgiving and the past week end in Stockton with relatives and friends.

County Assessor Phil G. Scadden returned Sunday evening from Sacramento where he had spent Thanksgiving with his daughter and son in law, Mr. and Mrs. Moore.

Byron Lake, mail carrier since the system was adopted here, has been transferred to Richmond where he will serve the postal department in that city in like capacity. Prior to employment with the local postoffice Lake was an instructor at the Gold Flat school.

Mrs. Carl Foote and children left last Wednesday for San Francisco where they spent the Thanksgiving holiday, and week end with Carl Foote who is employed in war work there.

Lt. and Mrs. W. Brown who have resided in the Sawyer residence for almost a year, left today for Marysville where they will make their home.

Mrs. Emma Foley has just returned from Oakland where she spent some time visiting her son, Ursil Foley, and family.

John Gwin, son of Mrs. Dorothy Gwin, was taken severely ill Tuesday morning at school and sent to the hospital. In the late afternoon he was operated on for appendicitis. He is expected to be recovered shortly.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Zanocco of Richmond spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Nevada City with relatives and friends.

Another sale in recent months is of interest to their many friends, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Coughlin purchased the Tapman property on Main street and are comfortably situated.

RATION FACTS FOR CONSUMERS

By MRS. H. E. KJORLIE, LOCAL BOARD

Simplified Gasoline Rationing—Effective December 1st all new supplemental gasoline ration coupons will be for five gallons and designated B-2 and C-2. All outstanding coupons issued before December 1st will continue to be worth only three gallons. The increase in the value of the B-2 and C-2 coupon will not increase the total mileage allowance, merely less trips to the gas station.

Meat Wholesalers Can Borrow Points—Meat wholesalers are being encouraged to fill their storage freezers between now and mid-January which is the peak period of meat production so there will be a wider variety of meat available to consumers during the seasonal period of low meat production next spring. Applications for a loan should be made direct to the Office of Price Administration meat branch, food rationing division, Washington, D. C. on application form D-315. Local boards have these forms.

Ration Free Jams and Jellies—During the holiday season, jams, jellies, preserves and fruit butters, weighing five and one half ounces or less, will be sold ration free.

Food Distribution—Three fourths of all our food stays here at home to feed the civilian population; one-fourth of our food goes to the armed forces, lend-lease, liberated people, our territories and our allies.

Top legal prices have been established on almost all essential foods. These prices are stated in specific dollars and cents so that every house wife can know what they are. Grocers can sell below but not above top legal prices.

Butter—Eight out of every ten pounds of butter being produced this year is allotted to civilian use. Five per cent of our butter is going to Russia. During the next six months the government will not buy butter. Butter and fats are rationed with meat for the sake of simplicity.

Point Value of Pork—On the consumer point table all items listed under pork and bacon are reduced two points. All items under ready to eat meats except corn beef brisket, dried beef and tongue are reduced two points.

Ration Calendar—Book 4—Green stamps A B and A are valid through December 20. Stamp No. 29 is valid for sugar until January 15th.

Book 3—Brown stamps G H J K are valid through December 4. Stamp L is valid through January 1st, for meats, butter, fats and fish.

Airplane stamp No. 1 is valid for shoes indefinitely.

Book 1—Stamp No. 18 is valid indefinitely for shoes.

Soldiers Wallet Found By Deputy Sheriff

Two soldiers, William Patton and John Childers of Camp Beale, complained to Sheriff Carl J. Tobiassen that while they were asleep the night before in their room in the California Inn on East Main street, Grass Valley, someone had stolen Patton's wallet containing $85 in cash and $150 in war bonds.

An investigation was immediately made by Deputy Sheriff George De Soto, who after searching the room thoroughly, finally found the wallet under the carpet. The soldiers acknowledged that they had been drinking before retiring and it is believed Patton placed the wallet in what he thought was a safe place before retiring and failed on waking to remember having done so. Money and bonds were intact.

Ebaugh May Have Left Country Sheriff Says

Sheriff Carl J. Tobiassen states that he believes William Ebaugh of Willow Valley, charged with killing his neighbor's cattle, has skipped the country.

"While it is possible" said the sheriff, "that Ebaugh may be living off the country in this vicinity, the fact that he has failed to show up in the Willow Valley neighborhood, indicates that he has left and need not be expected back for an indefinite time."

Sierra-Nevada Peace Officers Assn. Hold Election

The Sierra-Nevada Peace Officers Association, meeting in the sheriff's offices, chose the following officers: Carl T. Larsen, president; Samuel Scoville, first vice president; Thomas Lawrence, second vice president; A. W. McGagin, third vice president; Gene Johnson, sergeant-at-arms; H. F. Sofge, seretary-treasurer. All elections were unanimous.

RHOADES—In Nevada City, Nevada County, November 23, 1943, to Sgt. and Mrs. Cecil Rhoades, of Grass Valley, a daughter.

MANY MOURN PASSING OF YOUNG MATRON

Many friends are mourning the passing of Mrs. Margaret Brady Penrose, 23, wife of Russell Penrose of Vallejo and both former Grass Valley residents.

Mrs. Penrose whose life had been spent in Grass Valley up to the time of moving to Vallejo to make her home, died four weeks after the birth of a son Jerrold Russell Penrose. The body was brought to the Hooper-Weaver Mortuary on South Church street, where funeral services were held. Rev. Mark Pike, Methodist Church pastor, conducted the chapel rites and gave the benediction at Elm Ridge Cemetery.

A native of Nevada City, where she was born June 2, 1920, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brady, the former Margaret Brady spent her early years at the family home at You Bet.

Mrs. Penrose is survived by her husband, Russell; leaves a son of four weeks, Jerrold Russell; her bereaved parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brady, Nevada City and the following brothers and sisters, Lieut. Thomas W. Brady, United States Army, believed to be in England; Dorothy, Mildred, Kenneth, Chester, Raymond and Jerrold Brady, all of Nevada City.

Smartville Stockman Called By Death

Funeral services were held in the chapel of the Hooper-Weaver Mortuary, Inc. in Grass Valley at 2 p. m. Saturday for the late John L. Owens well known eastern Yuba county stockman and resident of Smartville.

The rites were conducted by Rev. Mark Pike, pastor of the First Methodist Church with burial following in Greenwood Cemetery.

Owens, who had been critically ill with pneumonia, died at the Rideout Hospital, Marysville at 1 a. m. Thursday, November 25. The body was brought to Grass Valley later in the morning by the Hooper-Weaver Mortuary.

Owens was a native of Downieville, Sierra county, born December 5, 1898. He would have been 45 years of age in another week. He attended school at Forest, Sierra county and spent his early life in that community. With his interest in stockraising he divided his time between the hill ranges of Sierra and Nevada counties and the valley ranch at Smartville, where the family home was located.

The deceased man was the son of John F. Owens, Smartville; brother of Miss Norma Owens, Smartville; Gordon Owens, Durham, Butte county; Charles Owens, Smartville and leaves one niece and one nephew.

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Grass Valleyans Exhorted To Give To War Chest

A page advertisement in the Grass Valley newspaper yesterday morning exhorted Grass Valley citizens who have not yet contributed to the War Chest to do so at once, since the Grass Valley quota still lacks 40 per cent of attainment. The quota is $12,800. It was stated that only 978 citizens have subscribed.

The advertisement calls attention to the fact that Nevada City has subscribed 90 per cent of its quota of $5,100, that Truckee is over the top, that Sierra County has raised 163 per cent of its quota, Amador County 117 per cent, El Dodaro, 111 per cent, Calaveras 101 and Tuolumne 100.

Funeral services for the late Mrs. Lilly Buhl, who passed away Thanksgiving Day in Sacramento, will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the chapel of Holmes Funeral Home. Rev. David Ralston will officiate. Interment will be in Pine Grove Cemetery with graveside services by the Degree of Pocohohtas, of which organization the deceased was a member.

Mrs. Buhl a native of Oroville, Butte County, aged 64 years. Surviving are her husband, Philip Buhl, employed in Sacramento, and a daughter, Mrs. Ina Shattuck of San Francisco. The Buhls formerly resided in Nevada City.

Miss Ida Norton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Norton of the Murchie Road district, left Sunday for Berkeley. She has been in the employ of the local telephone office for some time and has been transferred to the bay district. She will live with her two sisters, Misses Alice and Bess Norton, who are attending school in Berkeley.

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